



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Stanley S. Toncich)	
)	Art Unit: 2817
Serial No.:	10/685,239)	
)	Examiner: Takaoka, D.
Filed:	Oct. 14, 2003)	
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Title:	TUNABLE FERRO-ELECTRIC)	
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter this Preliminary Amendment prior to examining the Application, which was filed October 14, 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on January 2, 2004 with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents; P.O. Box 1450; Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



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